

COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

PICEA PUNGENS GLAUCA

X, 6 to 10 in.

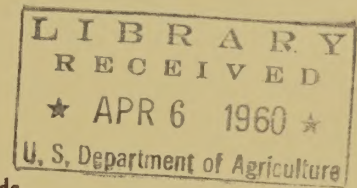
They're Hardy

TRANSPLANTS

They're Northern Grown

Excellent for Potting or Lining Out:

- All trees will be carefully graded;
- Only the stocky ones will be shipped;
- You will get only the best half of the trees lifted from these beds.
- Therein lies their quality and their worth.



This is the first season we've had the inventory to offer transplanted stock in variety and reasonable supply.

Freshly Dug

We have no storage facility

UPRIGHT YEW

TAXUS CUSPIDATA CAPITATA

Seed grown X, 6-10 ins.



Comment on a few items

TAXUS CUSPIDATA CAPITATA, seed grown.

XX 8 to 12 in. Six years or older, several times sheared but let grow this year, compact, many branched, well established. All yews develop an abundant root system in our well conditioned sandy loam soil.

X, 6 to 10 in. Grown two years as transplants. They are the heavier stock graded out of our first quite substantial transplanting of this tree. They've developed well in both top and root. Well branched, none more than lightly sheared. A good starter for either potted or field grown stock.

X, 4 to 6 in. This is the smaller size graded out of the above described item.

COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE, *Picea pungens glauca*.

2-2, 6 to 10 in. Our best grade of Colorado Spruce liner, price considered. Transplanted as a 3 to 6 in. seedling, it is well and low branched to make a blocky liner at this size. In good supply this year for the first time. A few who've seen them have reserved quite sizeable blocks of this grade size; bed run as to color, carefully graded for size and quality.

3-0, 6 to 12 in. Probably, on the average, the best branched 3-0 Colorado Spruce we've had due to fewer trees than normal per square foot of bed. Supply not as great as usual. No smaller 3-0 grade this season.

2-0, 3 to 6 in. Strong two year seedlings, with a profusion of branch buds along the stem. Best suited for transplanting in nursery beds. With experienced planting care this stock is suitable for field planting.

TYROLEAN MUGHO PINE 2-2, 3 to 4 in.

By reputation the slowest growing and best in color of all dwarf Mugho. These trees have abundant roots, were very strong rooted as seedlings. They've been sheared back to be well branched and well budded at a comparatively small size. Less bulk for shipping.

RIGA SCOTCH PINE (Poland) 3-0, 8 to 12 in. or 3-0, 12 to 16 in.

Seedlings as big and rugged as you want. Very tall, heavy stemmed, well rooted. These seedlings were grown a third year to set a clean stem for best Christmas Tree development. They are well budded to grow a good tree atop these strong potential tree stems. Top grade Christmas trees need long clean stems.

This is the same Riga Scotch Pine growing on all of our own Christmas tree farms and is the principal Scotch Pine stock offered by us during the recent past years.

SPRING 1960

TAXUS CUSPIDATA CAPITATA

Upright Yew, seed grown

	per 100	per 1,000	per 1,000 10,000 or more
XX, 8 to 12 ins.	\$ 85.00	\$	\$
X, 6 to 10 ins.	42.50	275.00	250.00
X, 4 to 6 ins.	26.00	190.00	175.00
COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE			
2-2, 6 to 10 ins.	18.00	150.00	135.00
3-1, 6 to 10 ins.	14.00	75.00	
3-0, 6 to 12 ins.	10.00	45.00	42.50
*2-0, 3 to 6 ins.	7.50	28.00	24.00
WHITE SPRUCE			
3-0, 4 to 8 ins.	8.00	45.00	42.50
*2-0, 3 to 8 ins.	7.50	26.00	22.00
NORWAY SPRUCE			
3-1, 6 to 14 ins.	12.00	65.00	
*3-0, 6 to 12 ins.	8.00	40.00	37.50
BLACK HILLS SPRUCE			
3-0, 4 to 8 ins.	8.00	40.00	37.50
DOUGLAS FIR			
2-2, 12 to 15 ins.	28.00	220.00	
2-2, 6 to 12 ins.	22.00	180.00	
*2-0, 4 to 8 ins.	7.50	28.00	26.00
WHITE PINE			
2-2, 5 to 10 ins.	16.00	130.00	
PONDEROSA PINE			
2-2, 6 to 12 ins.	10.00	60.00	
MUGHO PINE Tyrolean dwarf			
2-2, 3 to 4 ins.	22.00	160.00	150.00
AUSTRIAN PINE			
2-2, 8 to 14 ins.	12.00	85.00	
*2-1, 3 to 8 ins.	10.00	37.50	32.00
3-0, 5 to 10 ins.	10.00	28.00	24.00
*2-0, 2 to 4 ins.	6.00	18.00	16.00
NORWAY PINE			
2-1, 3 to 6 ins.	9.00	45.00	
RIGA SCOTCH PINE (Poland)			
*3-0, 12 to 16 ins.	9.00	34.00	30.00
*3-0, 8 to 12 ins.	7.50	26.00	22.00
2-1, 3 to 8 ins.	9.00	36.00	32.00
SCOTCH PINE AUVERGNE			
French Blue			
*2-0, 3 to 6 ins.	7.50	22.00	18.00

50 at 100 rate; 500 at 100 rate; all seedlings multiples of 50; all transplants multiples of 10.

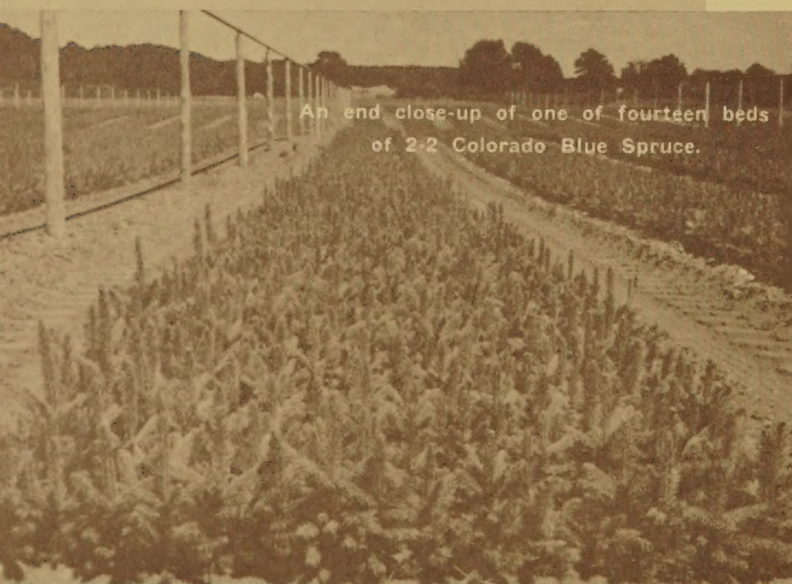
Minimum order \$10.00. Packing charges included in price.

On transplants only, 5,000 order in one item takes 10,000 rate.

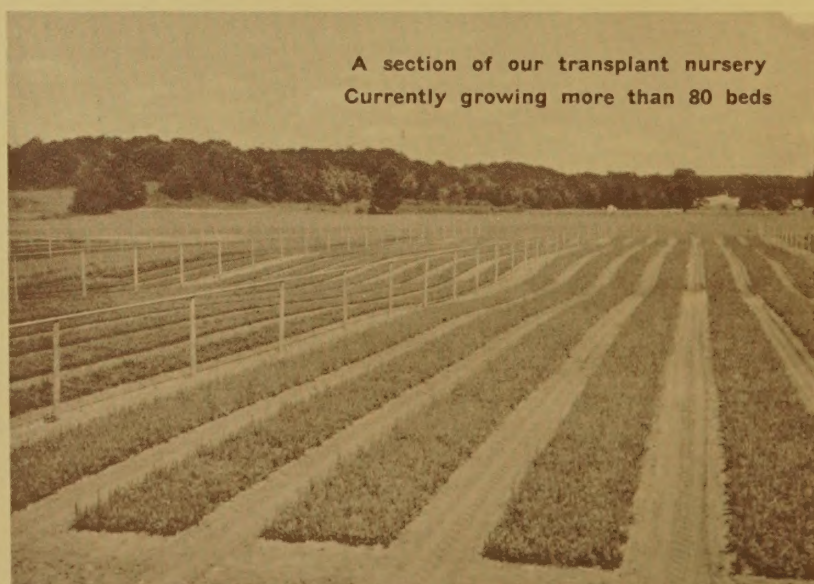
* Apply for price on 50,000 or more of one grade.

MATTHEWS NURSERY

HARBOR SPRINGS, MICH.



An end close-up of one of fourteen beds
of 2-2 Colorado Blue Spruce.



A section of our transplant nursery
Currently growing more than 80 beds

Your season is probably later because of the rough February and March winter weather.

Part of your buying may be later than in the usual season.

So we suggest.

If you need trees of the types we grow, this is your invitation to call us, collect, to talk it over.

Your requirements and our stock can be put together on the spot. Won't you give us a call?

Telephones:

Daytime: call 123 or 124 or 732;
at night call 899 or 1062.

At 732, our field office, an answering device may reply. After the recorded answer and dial tone please give your name, number and message. That call will be paid here and we'll call back as soon as possible.

2% For Cash With Order

LATE WEATHER BULLETIN 3-28-60

February and March heavy snows avoided us till this week. Now we've had 10 inches.

Our best guess is the week of April 4th to begin digging.

DOUGLAS FIR
2-2, 12 to 15 in.

SCOTCH PINE
3-0, 12 to 16 in.

NORWAY SPRUCE
3-0, 6 to 12 in.



SEEDLINGS



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Spring 1960

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Trees Are Good Only If They Grow. rec'd. 4-9-60

To assure top transplanting results our experience says:

MATTHEWS NURSERY

Do These Things

P.O. Box 428

Harbor Springs, Michigan

- Lift trees from beds with least root damage;
- Roots never exposed to direct wind or sun;
- Roots always damp in new sphagnum moss;
- Packed in lined, light wirebound protective crates;
- Tops ventilated with excelsior spacers;
- Shipping weight as light as safe packing permits.

Best Practices Employed Always:

Even though materials costs are up (moss up 50% from last year)

There Is No Packing Charge

except that included in prices as quoted in this list.

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OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Spring shipping will begin as soon as weather permits.

Time of shipping will be to best customer advantage, subject to ground conditions here.

Every facility and equipment unit has been designed and will be employed to lift stock, grade, pack and ship it for delivery to customers in best tree condition.

Prices include packing costs.

Truck routes serve many areas quicker and at a lower transportation cost.

Small packages and crates get quickest delivery by PARCEL POST SPECIAL HANDLING.

Orders big enough to warrant it will be delivered door to door by our truck, at cost.